

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
TEXARKANA DIVISION

RALPH S. FIRESTONE, #1067795	§	
VS.	§	CIVIL ACTION NO. 5:06cv33
F.C.I. TEXARKANA WARDEN	§	

ORDER ADOPTING REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

The Court referred the above-entitled and numbered civil action to United States Magistrate Judge Caroline M. Craven. The Magistrate Judge presented for consideration the Magistrate Judge's Report, containing proposed findings of fact and recommendations for disposition of Petitioner's motion to proceed *in forma pauperis* (dkt.#3). Petitioner filed objections to the Report.

This Court made a *de novo* review of Petitioner's objections and determined that they lack merit. This Court finds that the Magistrate Judge's findings and conclusions are correct, and adopts them as the Court's findings and conclusions. The Court therefore

**ORDERS** that Petitioner's motion to proceed *in forma pauperis* (dkt.#3) is **DENIED**; and

**ORDERS** Petitioner to pay the \$5.00 filing fee within thirty days of receiving this Order, to proceed with this petition. Failure to pay the \$5.00 filing fee within thirty days may result in dismissal of the petition.

**SIGNED this 15th day of March, 2006.**



DAVID FOLSOM  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE